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RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Communication mailed on October 21, 2002, and Response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on July 2, 2002, Applicant's attorney submits a signed copy of the Response to the species election requirement.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the species election requirement mailed on July 2, 2002, Applicants elect as a species of nonhydrolyzable peptide for prosecution: D amino acids. All claims presently pending and under consideration are believed to read on the elected species.

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